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HERSETH ANNOUNCES FUNDING FOR SOUTH DAKOTA SCHOOL OF MINES

Key Research Will Help Department of Defense Meet National Defense Goals

June 21, 2006, Washington, D.C. - U.S. Rep. Stephen

Rep. Herseth said, "The groundbreaking research at the South Dakota School of M

The funding allocations for key Department of Defense research projects at the So

Future Affordable Multi-Utility Materials for the Army Future Combat Systems

Received: \$2,000,000

This research will support development of unmanned ground and aerial vehicles w

Biomedical Materials Initiative

Received: \$2,000,000

The Biomedical Materials Initiative (BMI) will provide the necessary infrastructure for

Improvised Explosive Device Simulation in Different Soils

Received: \$500,000

The purpose of this proposed research is to develop a numerical modeling strategy

Control System for Laser Powder Deposition

Received: \$300,000

The U.S. Army has made a commitment to lighter and more rapidly deployable weapons

Transparent Nanocomposite Armor

Received: \$250,000

The purpose of the proposed work is to continue the development of new transpan

Shielding Rocket Payloads

Received: \$250,000

The purpose of this research is to reduce the sound pressure levels within space v

Additionally, earlier this month the House Appropriations Subcommittee on Foreign

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